

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 53

January Session, 2019



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: SEN. WINFIELD, 10th Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTORAL PRIVILEGES FOR INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 9 of the general statutes be amended to (1) permit electors
- 2 who have been convicted of a felony and committed to confinement in
- 3 a correctional institution or facility or a community residence to retain
- 4 their electoral privileges, and (2) restore electoral privileges to
- 5 individuals presently so confined as a result of any such conviction.

## Statement of Purpose:

To provide for restoration of electoral privileges to incarcerated individuals and retention of such privileges by individuals who may be incarcerated in the future.

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